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1. ROMANIAN SOURCE WHO WILL BE ON CEAUSESCU TRIP IN
TECHNICAL CAPACITY HAS GIVEN US MUCH MORE DETAILED ORAL
ACCOUNT OF TRIP SCHEDULE THAN WE HAVE HEARD THUS FAR.
SOURCE STRESSED THAT MATERIAL WAS "TOP SECRET" AND
DISTRIBUTED IN GOR ON "NEED TO KNOW" BASIS ONLY.
IT IS THUS BASED ON INTERNAL GOR DOCUMENT AND INDICATES
HOW ROMANIANS SEE SCHEDULE SHAPING UP AT THIS TIME. SOURCE
MAY PROVIDE US WITH EVEN MORE DETAILED WRITTEN SCHEDULE
LATER IF HE THINKS HE CAN GET AWAY WITH IT. WE ARE
REPORTING THIS INFO, UNDOUBTEDLY KNOWN TO WASHINGTON, FOR
COMPARISON PURPOSES AND AS CHECK ON DISCUSSIONS BEING
CONDUCTED WITH GOR EMBASSY (PLEASE PROTECT FACT THAT THIS
INFO PROVIDED TO US SURREPTITIOUSLY).

DECEMBER 3 (MONDAY)
ARRIVE ANDREWS AFB.
OVERNIGHT AT CAMP DAVID.

DECEMBER 4 (TUESDAY)
ARRIVE AT WHITE HOUSE BY HELICOPTER ABOUT 1025 HOURS
FOR FULL CEREMONIAL GREETING ON SOUTH LAWN.
OFFICIAL TALKS.
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OFFICIAL LUNCH.
RECEPTION AT "COMMERCE" (DEPARTMENT OR CHAMBER?).
SIGNING (POSSIBLY CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE AGREEMENT?).
MEETING WITH MCNAMARA AT WORLD BANK.

OFFICIAL DINNER BY U.S. SIDE ABOUT 1930 HOURS.

DECEMBER 5 (WEDNESDAY)

TO CONGRESS ABOUT 0930 OR 1000 HOURS.
ANOTHER MEETING WITH PRESIDENT NIXON.
LUNCH.
MEETING AT IMF.
TREASURE DEPARTMENT (TAX TREATY?).
MEETING AT "COMMERCE" (DEPARTMENT?).
"ECONOMIC." (MEANING UNCLEAR).
DINNER HOSTED BY CEAUSESCU AT GOR EMBASSY ABOUT
2030 HOURS.

DECEMBER 6 (THURSDAY)

MEETS AT WHITE HOUSE WITH PRESIDENT NIXON.
DEPARTS WASHINGTON.
ARRIVES WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA ABOUT 1030 HOURS.
TOURS GENERAL ELECTRIC PLANT.
LEAVES WILMINGTON. ARRIVES CLEVELAND, OHIO ABOUT
1430 HOURS.
TOURS WHITE MOTORS PLANT.
MEETS MAYOR OF CLEVELAND.
DEPARTS CLEVELAND. ARRIVES HOUSTON ABOUT 2115 HOURS.

DECEMBER 7 (FRIDAY)

ARRIVES NEW ORLEANS ABOUT 0930 HOURS.
GULF OIL.
LUNCH AT NEW ORLEANS.
ARRIVES HOUSTON ABOUT 1600 HOURS.
TOURS INTERNATIONAL SYSTEMS AND CONTROLS.
DINNER.

DECEMBER 8 (SATURDAY)

ARRIVES KINGSVILLE, TEXAS ABOUT 1000 HOURS.
TOURS KING RANCH.
LUNCH AT KING RANCH.
ARRIVES ORLANDO, FLORIDA.
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DECEMBER 9 (SUNDAY)

TOURS CYPRUS GARDENS AND CAPE CANAVERAL.
ARRIVES HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT ABOUT 1830 HOURS.
OVERNIGHTS IN HARTFORD.

DECEMBER 10 (MONDAY)

TOURS FACTORY (UNSPECIFIED).
ARRIVES NEW YORK ABOUT NOON.
LUNCH.
MEETING WITH BANKER (PRESUMABLY MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST).
DEPARTS NEW YORK IN LATE AFTERNOON.

2. SOURCE ALSO STATED THAT ABOVE WAS "TENTATIVE" PROGRAM

AND THAT SOME CHANGES MIGHT OCCUR. HE ALLUDED TO POSSIBLE
HELICOPTER TRIP OR TRIPS INCLUDING POSSIBLE VISIT TO
MIAMI.
MARTENS

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